

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND  
NORTHERN DIVISION**

JUDY JIEN, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

PERDUE FARMS, INC., *et al.*,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:19-cv-2521-SAG

**DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS  
FOR LACK OF STANDING PURSUANT TO RULE 12(b)(1)**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(b)(1) and L.R. 105, Defendants, by and through their undersigned counsel, move to dismiss Plaintiffs' Third Amended Consolidated Complaint (Dkt. No. 590) with prejudice. Defendants incorporate by reference, as if fully set forth herein, the accompanying Memorandum in Support of the Motion to Dismiss.

WHEREFORE, Defendants respectfully request that this Court enter an Order dismissing all claims concerning feed mill and hatchery employees from this action.

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